Wall forming made faster
Framed formwork Framax Xlife
The high-performing steel-framed formwork for crane-assisted forming of large areas
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Rapid working
Cost-effective
Superlative concrete results
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The panel frames are made of hot-dip galvanized, powder-coated hollow steel profiles. This ensures a particularly long lifespan. The plastic-coated Xlife sheet delivers outstanding concreting results even with high re-use numbers. Frames and sheets are easily and quickly cleaned using a scraper or high-pressure washer.

Co-ordinated panel formats ensure optimum use of formwork quantities commissioned

A system for any wall heights

- quick adaptation to structure with only a few closures thanks to widths ranging from 30 cm to 270 cm in the 15-cm increment-grid
- rapid deployment with all common room heights thanks to practical panel heights of 1.35 m, 2.70 m and 3.30 m
- simple stop-ends, corner and column solutions supported by handy cross boreholes
- less rework because of level and clean concrete surfaces
- long lifespan thanks to dimensionally stable steel frames that are hot-dip galvanized and powder-coated
- fast pouring thanks to permissible concrete fresh-pressure of up to 80 kN/m²

- Quick forming and stripping: only 2 form-tie layers are required for pouring heights up to 3.15 m (with 3.30 m panel height)
- greater wall heights are rapidly and easily formed when combining the panels
- suitable accessories ensure safety in any work deck
Rapidly forming any layouts and wall heights

Co-ordinated panel formats mean that Framax framed formwork panels can be combined both vertically and horizontally whenever needed. As a result, the gang-forms are always compact, and a neat joint pattern is left behind in the concrete face – without special elements for vertical stacking or corners.

- Framax Xlife offers cost-effective system solutions for efficiently forming walls, columns and foundations.
- Framax universal panels come with holes arranged in a special increment-grid that allowing universal adjustment to the structure’s geometry, especially with columns, corners, stop-ends and wall junctions. This means fewer different elements on the site while at the same time having fewer closures that cost time and money.

Shafts formed easily and quickly

- Framax stripping corner I was designed specifically for use with shaft formwork. It is also suitable for pilasters and inside corners.
- In accordance with accident protection regulations, forming and stripping work is performed without the crane, simply by using spindles.
- The entire inside shaft formwork is lifted in one step in order to save crane time.

Walls stripped easily and quickly

- Using the Framax stripping tool, the framed formwork can be detached from the concrete without damaging any materials.

Lightweight and easy-to-use fixings

- Framax panels can be joined using the lightweight quick acting clamp RU.
- A blow of the hammer is all it takes – for fast working without the need for any additional tools.
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Framax Xlife is the framed formwork system that uses only a few different panel formats to achieve a consistent 15 cm increment-grid, no matter whether the panels are stood upright or on their sides. All connectors and accessories fit seamlessly into this grid – making for fast forming-times and high efficiency.

Rapid working
- forming-times are kept short by the widely spaced form-ties (up to 1.35 m apart)
- rapid forming possible thanks to large-area gangs and extra-large panels
- with a high-pressure washer, final and intermediate cleaning is easy, thanks to the panels’ powder-coated frames and sturdy timber-plastic composite sheets

Easy handling and planning
- the ingeniously co-ordinated panel formats, with their logical size-grid, help you make optimum use of formwork commissioning quantities
- having only five panel widths makes for easy planning and forming, and efficient logistics

Superlative concrete results
- clean concrete finish from the high-grade Xlife sheet with its plastic-enhanced surface
- the ingeniously co-ordinated panel size-grid permits a neat joint pattern even when combining upright and horizontal panels
- no screw imprints in the concrete, as the formwork sheet is screwed on from the rear
- the neat negative frame-imprints in the concrete minimise any finishing-work

Cost-effective
- high numbers of repeat uses made possible by its excellent manufacturing quality and extra-durable Xlife-sheet
- smaller number of (expensive) closure zones, due to the consistent 15 cm increment grid
- the widely spaced form-ties (1.35 m apart) save up to twelve percent of the costs for ties and finishing-work on tie-holes
- galvanised, powder-coated steel frame, for long lifespan
- compact gang-forms mean less crane time is required
- using the single-side-operable tying system Monotec optimises workflows in confined spaces as well

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Comprehensive workplace safety
- safe vertical access with the Ladder system XS
- workplace safety on all sides with the Platform system Xsafe/uni00A0plus
- practical accessories – such as panel struts, lifting/repositioning devices, 3-in-1 pole tool etc. – make for safe, easy handling of the formwork 3-in-1 pole tool make for safe, easy formwork handling

The Framax Xlife concrete finish impresses with its level and clean surface with its neat joint pattern free from sheet fastener imprints.